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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
CHRISTIAN MARTY, ET AL. : EXAMINER: NGAMPA, BRIGET P.  
SERIAL NO: 10/825,321 :  
FILED: APRIL 16, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1762  
FOR: METHOD FOR TREATING A :  
CONTACT SURFACE FOR A MULLITE-  
BASED REFRACTORY RECIPIENT, AND  
A COATING MADE WITH THIS  
METHOD

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.